

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO**

PAUL SALAZAR,

Plaintiff,

vs.

No. CIV 10-0645 JB/ACT

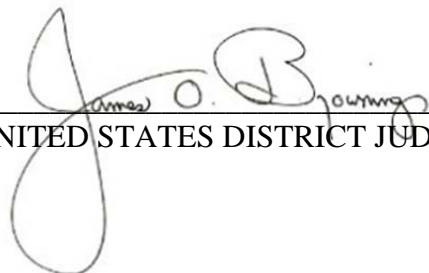
CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE,
RICHARD BERRY, Mayor,
ROBERT J. PERRY, Chief Administrative Officer,
VINCENT YERMAL, Director of Human Resources,
MARTIN CHAVEZ, former Mayor,
GREG PAYNE, former Transit Dept. Director, and
BRUCE RIZZIERI, Transit Dept. Director,

Defendants.

ORDER

THIS MATTER comes before the Court on the Motion to Disqualify Attorney Paula Forney and Memorandum in Support, filed June 9, 2013 (Doc. 97)(“Motion”). The Court held a hearing on August 20, 2013. For the reasons the Court stated on the record, the Court will deny the Motion.

IT IS ORDERED that the Motion to Disqualify Attorney Paula Forney and Memorandum in Support, filed June 9, 2013 (Doc. 97) is denied.¹


UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

¹ This Order disposes of the motion. The Court will, however, at a later date issue a memorandum opinion more fully detailing its rationale for this decision.

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